Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 05 Nov 2023 until 23:59 on Monday 06 Nov 2023

Forecast Issued on Saturday 04 Nov 2023 at 14:56 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for Sunday. Low for extent of showers on Monday and Tuesday.

Headline for Sunday 05 Nov 2023: Mostly dry and bright, chance of early wintry showers across the southern Cairngorms

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 05 Nov 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG							
Fog	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Clear night	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
10%	20%	20%	20%	20%	20%	20%	20%

Forecast for Sunday 05 Nov 2023

Weather: Chance of some low cloud and showery rain or higher summit snow at first across the southern Cairngorms. Otherwise it will be a dry day with some bright or sunny intervals.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%

Low Cloud and visibility: Poor in any low cloud across the southern Cairngorms at first with areas of cloud down to 700 metres. Otherwise excellent visibility with great air clarity and only small amounts of summit cloud. Some freezing fog in the glens at first.

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Forecast for Sunday 05 Nov 2023

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	11/14 NE	9/13 NE	9/13 N	8/11 N	5/8 NW	5/7 SW	7/9 SW	9/11 SW	11/14 SW
900	8/10 NE	5/9 NE	4/8 N	4/7 N	3/5 NW	4/6 SW	6/8 SW	8/11 SW	9/12 SW
600	2/6 NE	2/6 N	2/5 W	2/5 SW	2/4 W	3/5 SW	4/6 SW	5/8 SW	5/10 SW
300	4/9 N	3/8 NW	4/8 NW	3/6 NW	3/6 W	2/5 W	2/4 NW	3/7 W	4/9 W
Glen	2/6 NE	2/6 W	3/6 W	3/6 W	3/6 W	2/6 W	3/5 W	3/6 W	3/7 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	0/-4	-0/-4	-0/-5	-0/-4	0/-2	1/-2	-0/-3	-0/-4	-0/-4
900	2/-2	2/-1	1/-1	1/-1	2/1	3/1	1/-2	1/-2	1/-3
600	3/2	3/2	3/2	3/2	5/4	5/4	2/1	2/-0	2/-0
300	5/3	5/4	4/3	5/4	7/6	7/6	3/2	2/0	2/0
Glen	6/5	5/4	5/4	5/4	8/7	8/7	4/2	2/1	2/0
Freezing Level*	1200m	1100m	1100m	1200m	1200m	1200m	1200m	1200m	1200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Some surfaces will be icy following recent rain.

Forecast for Monday 06 Nov 2023
Weather: Dry and bright in the morning. Becoming cloudier in the afternoon and evening with showers, but any wintry precipitation confined to the highest tops.

Maximum wind: Southwesterly 20 mph

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%

Low Cloud and visibility: Very good visibility in the morning outside of cloud and showers

Temperature: **Glens:** Minus 3 rising to 6 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 4 Celsius
Freezing level: 1200 to 1500 metres

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